

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT:	MARIE	K.	WALSH	et	al	

TITLE: TEXTURED WHEY PROTEIN

PRODUCT AND METHOD

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R.

SERIAL NO.: 10/644,604 §1.136(a)

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**EXAMINER:** A.J. Weier

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

## Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that the shortened statutory period which was set for responding to the Office Action dated December 13, 2006, be extended for three months until May 13, 2007. Submitted herewith pursuant to 37

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C.F.R. 1.17(a)(3) is the fee of \$510, as required. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0836.

Also submitted herewith is an Amendment. It is believed that entry of the enclosed Amendment will place the application in condition for allowance.

DATED this 25th day of May, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,

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